

## Message Text

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 01 NEW DE 07444 241610Z

ACTION ERDA-07

INFO OCT-01 NEA-10 ISO-00 OES-07 EB-07 /032 W

-----250016Z 023618/65

R 241220Z MAY 77

FM AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3594

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE NEW DELHI 7444

DEPT PASS DR. JACK VANDERRYN, OFFICE OF INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS,ERDA

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: TECH, ENRG, IN

SUBJECT: SPEAKERFOR ENGINEERING FOUNDATION CONFERENCE

REF: STATE 092376

1. AS REQUESTED, EMBASSY HAS IDENTIFIED THE FOLLOWING OFFICIALS AS POSSIBLE SPEAKERS AT THE SUBJECT CONFERENCE. EACH SPEAKER IS LISTED AGAINST THE CATEGORY (A, B, AND C AS STATED IN PARA 2 OF REFTEL) MOST SUITED TO HIS BACKGROUND.

2. FOR (A) SA USH CHANDRAN, ADVISOR ON ENERGY, GOI PLANNING COMMISSION. PLANNING COMMISSION FORMULATES SHORT AND LONG TERM DEVELOPMENTAL PLANS FOR INDIA. CHANDRAN, AN ELECTRICAL ENGINEER FROM THE INDIAN INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE, BANGALORE BELONGS TO THE PRESTIGIOUS INDIAN ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICE AND WAS PREVIOUSLY SECRETARY FOR FINANCE, KARNATAKA STATE GOVERNMENT.

3. FOR (B) H.R. KULARNI, MEMBER OF THERMAL PROJECTS, CENTRAL ELECTRICITY AUTHORITY (CEA) OF THE GOI. CEA IS RESPOAIBLE FOR EXECUTING POWER PLANS FOR THE GOI MINISTRY OF ENERGY. KULKARNI IS A MECHANICAL ENGINEER WITH A POST GRADUATE DEGREE FROM THE US. HE HAS BEEN ASSOCIATED WITH THE GOI CENTRAL

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

PAGE 02 NEW DE 07444 241610Z

WATER AND POWER COMMISSION.

4. FOR (C) O.N. ARUMUGHAM, GENERAL MANAGER, QUALITY ASSURANCE BHARAT HEAVY ELECTRICALS LIMITED (BHEL) - A GOI INDUSTRIAL ENTERPRISE MANUFACTURING HEAVY ENGINEERING PRODUCTS INCLUDING POWER PLANTS. ARMUGHAM IS AN ENGINEER BY PROFESSION. HE WORKED AT BHABHAT ATOMIC RESEARCH CENTRE IN VARIOUS KEY

POSITIONS. HE WAS SUPERINTENDENT OF INDIA'S FIRST ATOMIC RESEARCH REACTOR AT BARC. HE PLAYED A KEY ROLE IN PLANNING AND CONSTRUCTION OF INDIAN NUCLEAR POWER PLANTS IN HIS CAPACITY AS THE HEAD OF THE REACTOR ENGINEERING DIVISION AT BARC. IN 1973 HE MOVED TO THE BHEL. HE HAS ALSO BEEN A SENIOR DEPUTY DIRECTOR GENERAL (NUCLEAR) IN THE CONSULTANCY SERVICES DIVISION OF BHEL.

5. PLEASE NOTE THAT THE EMBASSY IS OBLIGED TO ROUTE ALL THESE INVITATIONS THROUGH THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS. ERDA SHOULD NOT REPEAT NOT WRITE DIRECTLY TO THESE INDIVIDUALS.  
GOHEEN

LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

NNN

## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptoning:** X  
**Capture Date:** 01-Jan-1994 12:00:00 am  
**Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Current Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
**Concepts:** LESS DEVELOPED COUNTRIES, ENGINEERING, ENERGY, SPEAKERS, MEETING DELEGATIONS, TECHNOLOGICAL EXCHANGES  
**Control Number:** n/a  
**Copy:** SINGLE  
**Sent Date:** 24-May-1977 12:00:00 am  
**Decaption Date:** 01-Jan-1960 12:00:00 am  
**Decaption Note:**  
**Disposition Action:** RELEASED  
**Disposition Approved on Date:**  
**Disposition Case Number:** n/a  
**Disposition Comment:** 25 YEAR REVIEW  
**Disposition Date:** 22 May 2009  
**Disposition Event:**  
**Disposition History:** n/a  
**Disposition Reason:**  
**Disposition Remarks:**  
**Document Number:** 1977NEWDE07444  
**Document Source:** CORE  
**Document Unique ID:** 00  
**Drafter:** n/a  
**Enclosure:** n/a  
**Executive Order:** N/A  
**Errors:** N/A  
**Expiration:**  
**Film Number:** D770185-0841  
**Format:** TEL  
**From:** NEW DELHI  
**Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Image Path:**  
**ISecure:** 1  
**Legacy Key:** link1977/newtext/t19770524/aaaaaufu.tel  
**Line Count:** 74  
**Litigation Code IDs:**  
**Litigation Codes:**  
**Litigation History:**  
**Locator:** TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM  
**Message ID:** 9db7568b-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc  
**Office:** ACTION ERDA  
**Original Classification:** LIMITED OFFICIAL USE  
**Original Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Original Previous Classification:** n/a  
**Original Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Page Count:** 2  
**Previous Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Previous Classification:** LIMITED OFFICIAL USE  
**Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Reference:** 77 STATE 92376  
**Retention:** 0  
**Review Action:** RELEASED, APPROVED  
**Review Content Flags:**  
**Review Date:** 05-Apr-2005 12:00:00 am  
**Review Event:**  
**Review Exemptions:** n/a  
**Review Media Identifier:**  
**Review Release Date:** n/a  
**Review Release Event:** n/a  
**Review Transfer Date:**  
**Review Withdrawn Fields:** n/a  
**SAS ID:** 2391339  
**Secure:** OPEN  
**Status:** NATIVE  
**Subject:** SPEAKERFOR ENGINEERING FOUNDATION CONFERENCE  
**TAGS:** TECH, ENRG, IN  
**To:** STATE  
**Type:** TE  
**vdkvgwkey:** odbc://SAS/SAS.dbo.SAS\_Docs/9db7568b-c288-dd11-92da-001cc4696bcc  
**Review Markings:**  
Margaret P. Grafeld  
Declassified/Released  
US Department of State  
EO Systematic Review  
22 May 2009  
**Markings:** Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 22 May 2009